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TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO FLASH

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INFO AMEMBASSY NDJAMENA IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, PINR, EG, CD, SU

SUBJECT: CHADIAN DEVELOPMENTS

REF: A. CAIRO 11293, B. STATE 158588

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AMEMBASSY RABAT

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